

might be lucky enough to kill  
birds with one stone.







## STRIKES REAR UGLY HEAD IN CHRYSLER PLANTS AT DETROIT

DETROIT, May 20.—(P)—Strikes by members of the United Automobile Workers (UAW) who claimed that collective bargaining had "completely broken down" caused the closing of three plants of Chrysler Corporation here today affecting some 14,500 workers.

Approximately 4,000 employees of the Kew-Ford and Jefferson plants walked out at 10 a. m. and established picket lines at gates of the factories. Two hours later a Chrysler spokesman said the corporation was forced to close the Dodge main plant after some 3,500 of its 10,500 day shift employees walked out.

The spokesman said, concerning the Kew-Ford-Jefferson walkout, "the strike undoubtedly is authorized by the union and was completely organized. Four thousand men don't walk out by their own accord."

Ed Carey, president of the UAW-CIO Chrysler local 7, contended that "agitation" by the management caused what the union insisted was a "spontaneous demonstration."

## PEP UP THE LUNCH BOX



LUNCH BOX SUGGESTIONS: Make 'em appetizing

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE, AP Food Editor

This spring is no time to skip on lunches for the school children or war workers in your family. The shortage of meat and other body-building foods makes it more important than ever that lunch boxes be packed with inviting, health-boosting edibles.

It may even be advisable to use meat leftover from a roast in lunches for the next day and have a meat substitute for the evening meal. It is easier to carry meat sandwiches and then have a meat alternate such as scalloped eggs, Spanish rice or macaroni and cheese for dinner than to carry meat alternates in the lunch-box meal.

As the weather becomes warmer, extra care should be taken to keep meat fresh. When buying cold cuts for sandwich fillers, buy them in small quantities for best keeping. Also keep them well wrapped in waxed paper and store in refrigerator so that the edges will not curl up or the meat dry out. Plan to use within two days.

A victory lunch should be as well balanced and nutritious as a dinner at home. This means, have a protein in the form of meat or some meat alternate such as nuts, hard-cooked eggs, fish, fowl or peanut butter and one or two fresh vegetables. Lettuce helps out in sandwiches and crisp carrot strips, celery or radishes are appetizing. Include whole wheat or enriched bread in the form of sandwiches or buttered rolls, biscuits, cinnamon buns or fruit breads. Of course the dessert is very important and here is a good chance for some crunchy cookies, gingerbread drop cakes, cream cheese frosted chocolate cookies, wedges of angel food or sponge cake.

### Texas Retail Grocers Demand Straightening Out of OPA Situation

WACO, May 20.—(P)—A demand that the maximum price act be replaced by "a new practical price control law," unless "the entire OPA structure is straightened out this week," was sent by the Texas Retail Grocers Association to President Roosevelt, Price Administrator Prentiss Brown and congressional leaders.

W. M. Clark of Dallas, state president, wired the President, Senator Tom Connally and W. Lee O'Daniel that "it is imperative immediate action be taken to stop OPA discrimination against independent merchants" and suggested that any new price control law should be based on recommendations of a joint committee consisting of presidents and secretaries of national retail grocers, national wholesalers, union labor and President Edward O'Neal of American Farm Bureau.

### Hughes Plane Crash Unavoidable Accident

LAS VEGAS, Nev., May 20.—(P)—The crash of an experimental plane, piloted by Howard Hughes, wealthy airplane manufacturer, on Lake Mead has been termed an unavoidable accident by a coroner's jury.

William M. Cline, of Santa Monica, Calif., Civil Aeronautics Administration inspector, was killed in the crash Monday, and his body has not been recovered from the lake.

Hughes, only slightly hurt in the accident, testified at the inquest yesterday that the ship nosed down when a landing on the water was attempted, and he was unable to level off.

Judge McCormick to Speak. E. D. McCormick, county judge, is scheduled to deliver the commencement address Thursday night (tonight) at the graduation exercises of the Purdon high school.

## ROUNDUP

CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE a sustained aerial offensive against Japan proper.

It was a day for speculation. Except for a few insiders of organized labor, most observers were groping for an explanation of John L. Lewis' petition in behalf of his United Mine Workers for readmission to the AFL he defied in 1935. The AFL said its application was "welcomed." Lewis withheld comment, friends said he sought a unified labor movement, and critics doubted if that told the whole story.

**Tax Bill Ultimatum**  
Back on Capitol Hill, Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate finance committee issued what amounted to a tax ultimatum. He said that unless a joint senate-house conference group can agree within three days on a compromise bill he will be ready to abandon pay-as-you-go tax legislation this session.

Beaten in the first skirmish in the finance committee by a coalition which tacked on an amendment to the trade agreements extension bill permitting congress to end such deals six months after the war, administration strategists planned a counter raid on Republican ranks to win enough votes to knock off the amendment on the senate floor.

And as of noon today, any pleasure driving in 12 eastern states, part of another and the District of Columbia may cost the violators their gasoline ration. The duration, the OPA announced the reinstated ban last night, terming the "all-time low" condition of eastern supplies cause of the move.

A \$20,463,387.198 naval supply bill, boosting the nation's war outfit to date to an estimated quarter of a trillion dollars, awaited perfunctory house passage without a dissenting vote in sight—now the number known name of it will be spent for whiskey. Discussions of where the money came from to buy 2,400 pints of liquor for the Hot Springs, Va., food conference, brought up the question in debate yesterday of whether any of the naval funds would go that route. Members said no, and asserted the conference beverage was supplied by a special state department fund under direct control of the President.

### Congressmen Pleased At Churchill Pledge

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—From the halls of congress which recently rang with criticism of Britain's war intentions, there arose today a hallelujah for Prime Minister Churchill's pledge that the British will battle side by side with the United States until Japan and all other enemies are crushed.

While there were a few dissenting voices, most senators saw in the pledge, which was made in view of the war before a great United Nations gathering in the house yesterday a complete answer to those who have urged making Japan the No. 1 enemy and who have doubted whether Britain would help the United States beat Japan once the Nazis are punched out of the war.

Senator Chandler (D-Ky.), who took the lead in criticizing British intentions in Monday's senate debate, declared the prime minister had failed to convince him that Japan should be left as the last Axis to beat, that he did not explain why Britain's forces in India had not made a "more effective" attempt to open the Burma Road, what help either Britain or the United States can hope to get from Russia, or what Russia's intentions are with respect to world peace.

**Pacific War Council Called.**  
WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—A "deteriorating" Prime Minister Churchill's pronouncement to congress that Britain would fight Japan to the end and help reduce her munition centers and cities to ashes, President Roosevelt called a meeting of the Pacific War Council today and invited Churchill to attend.

The council, whose members represent all the nations actively engaged in the Pacific war operations, meets regularly at the White House.

Later in the day, the prime minister was to meet all the representatives in Washington of the British Dominions as well as his own chiefs of staff.

Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King of Canada was among those invited.

**Ultimatum on Tax Bill.**  
WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—What amounts to an ultimatum, Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate finance committee said today that unless a joint senate-house conference group can agree within three days on a compromise bill he will be ready to abandon pay-as-you-go tax legislation this session.

Little hope for an agreement was left when Republican Leader Martin (Mass.) of the house announced he was flatly opposed to a compromise and would insist on adoption of the modified Ruml skip-a-year plan.

The conferees arranged to meet at 9 a. m. CWT today for their first effort to compose fundamental differences of the two houses in current collection measures. The senate conferees are bound by the senate's action to hold out for a modified version of the Ruml Plan under which the lesser of either 1942 or 1943 taxes would be charged for all persons except those with windfall income. The house group, on the other hand, is directed to support a bill abating the 6 per cent normal and 13 per cent first bracket surtax on 1942 incomes, making only a part of the taxpayers current.

**OPA Accused Lack Courage.**  
WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—The Office of Price Administration has been accused of lacking "the character and courage to defend its own convictions and the public interest." The American Federation of Labor's executive council, in endorsing "limited government subsidies to restrain food price increases" yesterday assailed what it called OPA's "timid policy" on the problems of black markets and grade labeling.

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WOUNDED AXIS SOLDIER GETS A DRINK—Propping himself up on his elbow, an Axis soldier, wounded in the fighting in Tunisia after Allied forces had entered the city, reaches out for a drink being poured by a woman. This is an official British photo.

### German Broadcast Makes More Claims

(By The Associated Press.)

The Berlin radio, obviously seeking information, reported today that 72 ships, including the British aircraft carriers Argus and Formidable and the battleships Nelson and King George V, were in the port of Gibraltar today. That broad cast claims, which had no Allied confirmation, were recorded by the Associated Press.

The report, attributed to Span-

ish correspondents, said that 25 of the ships arrived this morning from the direction of the Mediterranean and that one American and two British merchant ships were damaged. A British destroyer also was damaged, it was reported.

The fleet included tankers, merchantmen and transport vessels, the battleships and aircraft carriers, 22 cruisers, 18 British destroyers and some American destroyers, the broadcast said.

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## TRAVELERS REPORT NAZIS MAY FOREGO RUSSIA OFFENSIVE

ANKARA, Turkey, May 20.—(P)—Travelers recently returned from Europe reported today there are indications the Germans may forego their expected Russian offensive this summer in order to keep large reserves of men and equipment ready for quick movement to the west or south in event of an allied invasion.

At present, these sources said, the Germans appear more concerned over the possibility of an allied thrust through the Balkans than an attack on their Atlantic wall.

Reports from the Balkans declared that while the axis defenses there are not complete the allies nevertheless would find them a tough—but not impossible—nut to crack.

Expert observers predict that an allied attempt to crack Adolf Hitler's defenses in southeastern Europe is not likely to involve Turkey in the war unless she is threatened with a German counter-off-

fensive through Thrace and the Dardanelles region.

Less than one full German garrison division is reported in Bulgaria, although the nazis recently have thoroughly overhauled communications and supply systems and prepared advance base sites for quick movement of troops if this proves necessary.

Bulgaria's Black Sea ports are said to be strictly supervised by the Germans, who are under orders to fire without warning upon anyone—even Bulgarian officers—who approach defense zones.

### Announcement

Dr. E. F. Waters and Dr. Carolyn Hoch wish to announce the removal of their office from 319 West Third Avenue to 405 West Seventh Avenue formerly the Whiteside Home. Where the Whiteside home has been fitted into a modern clinic with hospital service.

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Mustard	French's 6-Oz. Jar	8c	Sunbrite Cleaner	Reg. Can	5c
Flour	Kitchen Craft ENRICHED 12-Lb. Bag	59c	Woodbury's Toilet Soap	2 Reg. Bars	15c
Flour	Kitchen Craft ENRICHED 24-Lb. Bag	1.15	Su-Purb Soap	24-Oz. Pkg.	19c
Flour	Harvest 24-Lb. Bag	1.05	Oxydol	24-Oz. Pkg.	21c
Bread	Julia Lee Wright's Enriched White Loaf	10c			
Milk	Cherub Evaporated 3 Tall Cans	25c			
Raisins	Seedless Cello Pack 1-Lb. Pkg.	13c			
Macaroni	Red Label 6-Oz. Pkg.	4c			
Dog Food	S. A. S. 97% Animal Products Pkg.	9c			

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Coffee	Edwards Full Strength	1-Lb. Bag	24c	Stamp No. 23
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Fancy Texas Sweet Crisp Bun. 4c

**Turnips & Tops**  
Bun. 5c

**Lettuce**  
Crisp Firm Heads Lb. 16c

**White Squash**  
Lb. 5c

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**Niblets**  
Del Malt Corn 12-Oz. Can 12c Points Per Can. 12

**Peas**  
Garden of Eatin' No. 2 13c Points Per Can. 16

**Tomatoes**  
Garden of Eatin' No. 2 10c Points Per Can. 16

**Beets**  
Snider's Shoe String 16-Oz. Glass 11c Points Per Glass. 9

**Pears**  
Libby's Fancy Halves No. 2 29c Points Per Can. 13

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Swift's Spiced 12-Oz. Can 35c Points Per Can. 5

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**GOVERNMENT TROUBLE**

There is too much fighting and sparring at Washington, and it often becomes annoying. The public gets tired of controversy and wishes that politicians and statesmen would agree like "birds in their little nests." Everybody then would be happier.

But this is simplifying the problem too much. People in public life are probably as conscientious and patriotic as other people. Indeed, they may often be above the average in these virtues. When they see something that they think should be done, they naturally want to get it done. So from their excessive zeal, unfortunately, may come arguments and recriminations that confuse the public.

The main trouble at Washington latterly seems to be that the government has grown so large and loose. Growth was inevitable, with all the things that had to be done in fighting two big wars and trying to carry on essential domestic activities at the same time. But if it hasn't been overdone, it certainly has been done too loosely.

There seems to be plenty of talent in Washington now. If more of it were devoted not to expansion and proliferation, but to the job of tightening up everything and reducing personnel, as Britain did a while ago, it should improve the situation. That has been tried, but there still seems to be too much hiring and not enough firing. A large and courageous job of housecleaning might work wonders.

**DREARY SUDETENLAND**

The Sudeten Germans are not happy. Everybody remembers the commotion they raised in 1938, their wails against the supposedly cruel treatment visited upon them by the Czechs, and their demand for annexation to Germany. This in spite of the fact that never had Sudetenland been part of Germany, but always of Austria.

They got their wish, and now don't like it. Casualty lists are heavy. As far back as last June the number of Sudeten officers and men killed was officially announced as 162,000, out of a total population of only 3,000,000. Since then occurred the great German drives to Stalingrad and the Caucasus, and the heavy German defeats of last winter. Sudetenland is paying heavily for its inclusion in the Nazi Reich.

No wonder that enthusiasm is cooling. A Swiss visitor traveling through the region early in 1942 estimated that the 75 per cent vote for Germany cast in 1938 would now be only 15 per cent, and that mostly from Nazi officials.

Sympathy for Sudeten Germans will not be great. They are making things much easier for Hitler and there would be a sort of poetic justice in sharing his fate.

Too many citizens seem to misunderstand the slogan, "Strike for your altars and your fires." They're doing the wrong kind of striking.

Nazism and Stalinism have their faults, but there are no war-time strikes over there.

Plant something, even if it's only a \$25 bond, and watch it grow.

**Edgar A. Guest**

The Foot of the People

**PHEASANT TROUBLE**

A pheasant with a collar white  
To all men is a handsome sight.  
The friends who come to visit me  
Delighted are this fowl to see.  
But handsome is as handsome  
does.

And I am not so pleased, because  
That pheasant has devouring ways  
With everything I try to raise.

Time was that fellow and his brood  
I welcomed in my proudest mood.  
Although he is bereft of song  
I fed his flock all winter long.  
But he repays my kindness now  
By ruining my garden chow.  
Why must a bird so fair to see  
In gardens so destructive be?

Arrayed in glittering bronze and gold,  
Like some great mandarin of old,  
He struts my plot of ground about,  
Defying me to punt him out.  
On all my tender shoots he feeds  
And leaves me nothing but the weeds.  
In spite of all his finery  
Merely a well-dressed thief is he.

**BUSINESS MAN'S VIEW**

"American industry is too big to run at a profit or give full employment if our business field is limited to our own people." So says Warren L. Pierson, president of the Export-Import Bank, in a recent address before the Detroit Economic Club discussing post-war problems.

Our great industrial machine, with all the new plants constructed since the war began, calls for a vast increase in our foreign trade. Without such trade we cannot hope for the profitable working of the machine. And to get foreign trade, says Mr. Pierson, there must be a general and drastic reduction in trade barriers. That goes for this country as well as the rest. As far back as 1901, and it is much truer now, President McKinley said in the last speech of his life: "What we produce beyond our domestic consumption must have a vent abroad. The period of exclusiveness is past. The expansion of our trade and commerce is the pressing problem."

**LIFE OF A CONGRESSMAN**

What is it like to be a Congressman? Most people will never know at first hand, but anyone curious can find out by taking his Congressman aside and asking him confidentially.

Light on the subject is also to be had from a collection of letters, just advertised by a Michigan dealer in autographs, written to Congressman Martin H. Glynn in 1900. Glynn was later governor of New York, and as keynoter of the Democratic national convention in 1916 originated the famous slogan, "He kept us out of war."

The letters show clearly why Congressmen are as they are. Besides the never ending requests for garden seeds, there are demands for government bulletins on subjects the government never heard of, instructions to vote for a certain bill, orders to vote against it, requests for jobs like "Register of the Tides at Albany," and the like.

As the dealer says, "Anybody who has the bug for running for Congress could make a worse investment than this lot." He might learn something.

"Even the worst mother is better than the best institution," says Mayor La Guardia of New York. The Home Expert says this isn't so. "A good mother is better than any institution, of course. But a bad mother is worse than nothing."

Why not solve the John L. Lewis problem by just giving him the job of licking Japan single-handed? And also send Bill Jeffers to get back the East Indian rubber plantations. We're wasting talent.

Germany has recently had its severest earthquake in 40 years. The damage it did has not been revealed. But whatever its seriousness, it is nothing compared with the earthquake which will hit Germany in the next year or two.

The Japs are not licked yet, by a long shot, but we've got their number.

These war bond drives seem to match some of the Old Testament miracles.

**BLESSED EVENT!****EXAMINATION FOR POSTMASTER HERE SCHEDULED JUNE 8**

An open competitive examination to fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in Corsicana will be held, June 8, it has been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission.

G. C. Hudson is the acting postmaster, recently appointed following the death of Postmaster A. A. Allison. Requirements include citizenship of the United States, must have actually resided within the delivery of this postoffice, or within the city for at least one year immediately preceding the date fixed for close of receipt of applications, must be in good physical condition and within the prescribed age limits, certain waivers of age limits being allowed persons granted veteran preference. Both men and women are admitted. Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth birthday and not passed their sixtieth birthday, except to those granted preference because of military or naval service, except that such applicants must not have reached the retirement age. The postal laws and regulations provide the postmasters devote a minimum of eight hours daily (except Saturdays) to their duties as postmaster.

Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on education (20 points) and business (or professional) experience, qualifications and suitability) 30 points.

The salary of the Corsicana postmaster is \$3,400 per year. Full information and application forms may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the postoffice in Corsicana, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., and applications must be on file with the commission not later than June 8.

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**Rites Wednesday At Concord Church For Mrs. Hamilton**

Funeral services for Mrs. Lennie Hamilton, age 52 years, were held from the Concord Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon. The services were changed from Tuesday due to the inability of a son, Melvin Hamilton, U. S. army, to arrive. Burial was in Concord cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, four sons, four daughters, her mother, three sisters and other relatives.

Corley's Funeral Home directed the arrangements.

**Low Bidder Named On Highway Work In Navarro County**

Contract was awarded by the Texas Highway department Tuesday for asphaltic concrete leveling on a section of Highway 75 in Navarro county, the Chambers Creek area. The Texas Bitulithic Company of Dallas was the successful bidder. Low bids on 14 road projects in the state Tuesday aggregated \$320,000.

**Sick and Convalescent.**  
Mrs. Morris Holloway and baby have gone home from the P. and S. Hospital.

Jesse H. Pitts, five year old son of J. H. Pitts, had a tonsillectomy at the P. and S. Hospital Wednesday.

Patsy Rose Hunter, Trinidad, went home from the P. and S. Hospital Tuesday night.

Mrs. R. C. Watts is a surgical patient at the P. and S. Hospital.

**Lemon Juice Recipe Check Rheumatic Pain Quickly**  
If you suffer from rheumatism, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Put a package of Bu-Ex Compound in a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 3 tablespoons two times a day. Often within 48 hours—some times overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pain does not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Bu-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Bu-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by McDonald Pharmacy and drug stores everywhere.

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**LEWIS C. HUFF WAS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER CIVILIAN DEFENSE**

Lewis C. Huff of Dallas, salvage campaign in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana representative, was the principal speaker Monday night at the meeting of the civilian defense wardens, held in the auditorium of the Corsicana Junior high school. He pointed out the necessity of various salvage drive, and it was stated Tuesday morning at the office of W. E. McKinney, county chief warden, that each district warden will hold a meeting with his organization and outline plans for a campaign within the immediate future.

Huff pointed out that silk hose is the only substance that burns completely when guns are fired and that silk is urgently needed. Salvaged rubber is being processed as rapidly as possible for present machinery to handle. Fats and greases are needed immediately and consignment in the making of all gunpowders and high explosives. He said too much of the waste household fats are still going down the drains.

The main topic of the discussions, however, centered on the need of tin cans to replenish the copper supplies. One pound of shredded tin cans nets one and one-half pounds of pure copper. Cans are needed in the manufacture of all essential war equipment. Copper is used in every shell, gun, bomber, plane, ship, communications setup, etc.

Tin cans of all kinds need not be clean, cut and mashed, but all kind of tin cans are wanted.

Fred Prince, city commissioner, local salvage chairman, outlined a recent city ordinance whereby cans must be separated from other trash and garbage to prevent cans being sent to the incinerator. The city is handling the separated tin cans so as to reach the shredding plant in Dallas.

H. M. Montgomery, manager of the local Dr. Pepper Company, offered to furnish a truck on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday to gather tin cans either in Corsicana or over the county.

There were about 150 wardens present. Chief Warden McKinney introduced the speaker and urged all civilian defense members to co-operate and support this campaign.

**Dr. George Mecham Goes to Texas Tech As Faculty Member**

DENISON, May 18—Dr. George P. Mecham, elementary school supervisor here the last five years, has been named a member of the Texas Technological College faculty at Lubbock. Dr. Mecham, formerly a principal of a Corsicana elementary school, will assume his new duties June 1.

He received his Ph. D. degree two years ago at George Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn. He is a former student at Texas A. and M. College and North Texas State Teachers College, Denton.

**RECENT VISITOR**

Staff Sgt. Tom B. Wheeler left Saturday after furlough with parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wheeler at Tupelo to report to Salina, Kansas. He is an aerial engineer of the U. S. Air Force, has been stationed in 13 camps since he entered the armed forces in February, 1942.

**Personal Mention Of Kerens Folk**

KERENS, May 19—(Sp.)—Mrs. L. C. Price of Austin is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Price.

Miss Hortense Simmons of Dallas spent the week end in Kerens with her folks.

Mrs. George Hemphill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Cresswell in Cleburne this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford A. Ivey of Merced, Calif., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ivey and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford this week. Mr. Ivey has been an instructor at Merced Air Field since he received his wings last June, and was recently made 1st Lieut.

Mrs. R. E. Price and children Bobby and Mary Hill spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Price.

Ray McLean of Dallas visited friends in Kerens Sunday.

Meiba McKinney, Carolyn Hulan, Terry Sanders and Robby Tyus, students of Baylor University are at home for the summer.

**LIEUT. A. S. KEY TRANSFERRED TO SALT LAKE CITY**

First Lieut. Allen S. Key, intelligence and public relations officer at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas, leaves Thursday for a new assignment at Salt Lake City, Utah. He is succeeded here by Second Lieut. Louis R. Renfrow, formerly an attorney of Lufkin and Houston, who reported to the station here early this week. Lieut. Key has been with the local military detachment for a number of months. He received his orders Wednesday.

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### Chapman Ranch H.D. Club Met Tuesday

#### M. J. Crawford Home

The Chapman Ranch Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. M. J. Crawford on May 18. After a short business session the program was turned over to Miss Vera Sneed, county home demonstration agent, who demonstrated the drying of sulphur bleached fruits and the drying of different kind of vegetables. Three kinds of fruits and vegetable driers were exhibited, the electric drier, the sun bath drier, and the fire heat drier. Miss Sneed also demonstrated the canning of raw pack fruits and vegetables in the pressure cooker methods and water bath methods. Refreshments were served by eleven members and six visitors. Mrs. J. M. Stevenson, Mrs. W. M. Gowan, Mrs. Lou Allen, Mrs. Lela Hemphill, Mrs. J. Anderson of Kerens, Mrs. A. L. Wilson of Ennis, and Miss Sneed of Corsicana.

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### Barry P.T.A. Met in Final Session of Year on Tuesday

Barry Parent Teacher Association met in final regular session for this school year May 18 in the auditorium, with Mrs. J. A. Worsham as leader. The program was an civilian health in wartime. Let's Prevent Civilian Jitters. Mrs. Johnson gave an interesting talk on the school lunch program and its roll during war time. The present officers were re-elected for the year of 1943-44.

### Miss Bessie Watson Becomes Bride of Corp. J. H. Fields

A wedding of local interest was solemnized in Dallas on Thursday afternoon, when Miss Bessie Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watson of Barry, became the bride of Corp. John Henry Fields, brother of James W. Fields of Corsicana, at the home of Rev. H. B. Prather. The bride wore a navy sheer, with orchid embellishment, and matching accessories, with a corsage of gardenias showered with stephanotis for floral charm. The bride is a graduate of Baylor University, and has taught in the Corsicana public schools for the past six years. She is at present teacher of social science at

### Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery Association

The Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery Association will meet in regular session on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Laura Lovett. The president, Mrs. Campbell Gillespie, urges all members to be present in order that further plans for the summer months may be outlined.

### Roane Soldier and Wife Have Fine Son

A son was born to Pfc. and Mrs. Morris A. Holloway of Roane in the P. and S. Hospital on Saturday evening, May 15. Pfc. Holloway is stationed at Lincoln Air Base, Lincoln, Neb., as an instructor. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

junior high school. She has done graduate work in the University of Southern California and at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Corp. Fields received his pharmacy training in Fort Worth, and was pharmacist until the army called him to duty. At the close of school, Corp. and Mrs. Fields will reside in New Orleans, where he is stationed with the medical division of the U. S. army.

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### OUTDOOR LOVERS ARE URGED AVOID POISON IVY AND RESULTS

AUSTIN, May 20.—(Spl.)—With the advent of summer and the ensuing exodus from city to country resorts and picnic spots the annual problem of ivy poisoning is once more making its appearance. In order that city dwellers may guard against this poisonous plant by instant recognition of it, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued the following statement. "Poison ivy may be best recognized by its leaves and its fruit. Each leaf is divided into three leaflets, the margins of which vary from smooth to more or less notched outlines. The small greenish flowers appear in May or June and the fruits which are the size of a small pea are pale green and poisonous when immature."

The symptoms of ivy poisoning range from slight redness and itching to exaggerated swelling and blisters, accompanied by severe burning sensations. There are all gradations between these extremes. In mild cases the skin is covered by numerous small blisters containing a colorless serum which is not poisonous. The poison cannot spread from broken

### GENE DUNN, HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR TO JOIN THE MARINES

Gene Dunn, Corsicana High school senior student, passed the navy college training program qualification examination on April 2, and will start training soon announced R. A. Armistead, principal, Thursday.

Dunn was called to Dallas last week after he passed the exam, to be interviewed by a naval board, and was accepted by this group of men. He received his notice Tuesday and will be sworn in at the nearest naval office immediately.

He will begin college training on July 1, or by November 1, and will have his choice of becoming an officer in the navy, marines or coast guard. He expects to select marine officer training and to prefer the position of line officer rather than engineering officer, which will place him in active duty.

Dunn, senior class president, was a high school football star last fall, playing end position.

en blisters but pustules may form and infections may result as secondary consequence. Recovery usually occurs from 10 days to three weeks. Occasionally a persistent skin inflammation follows.

"The best prevention is to recognize the poison ivy plant and stay away from it," Dr. Cox said. "The victim of ivy poisoning may not be fatally infected, but to say the least, the attendant discomfort and disability is far from pleasant and well worth avoiding."

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR R. J. HODGE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for R. J. Hodge, age 76 years who died Wednesday afternoon, were held from the chapel of the Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Matthew Arnold, pastor of the Third Avenue Presbyterian church, conducted the rites. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. Masons had charge of the service at the grave.

### MRS. E. C. KUMKE DIED ON THURSDAY; PLAN RITES FRIDAY

Mrs. E. C. Kumke died here at an early hour Thursday morning and funeral services are planned for Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the chapel of the Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home. Burial will be in Oakwood cemetery.

She had been a resident of Corsicana for many years. Surviving are a son, Karl Kumke, Palestine; a daughter, Mrs. H. C. Thorne, Morgan City, La.; three brothers, Alvin, Frisco, Dallas; Fred, Frisco, Dallas; Oswald, Frisco, Marlette, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Martha Steffens, Oklahoma, and other relatives.

### Local Pastor Will Give Baccalaureate Sermon at Frost

Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, pastor of the First Methodist church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Frost High school Sunday night.

As is customary, there will be no church service at the First Methodist church Sunday night on account of the baccalaureate services for the Corsicana High school in the high school auditorium Sunday night. The choir of First Church will furnish the music for this occasion.

### Information From Rationing Board

Office of Defense Transportation has asked for the cooperation of train and bus passengers in a survey of intercity rail and bus travel to be made in 101 cities throughout the country during the period from Friday, May 21, through Thursday, May 27.

The following cities in the Southwest are included in the survey: Alexandria, New Orleans and Shreveport, La.; and Amarillo, Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio, Texas.

Letter carriers began this week the distribution of 40,000,000 application cards for War Ration Book Number 3, which will provide new stamps to replace those running out in existing books.

The public is urged not to return the applications until June 1, since no cards will be processed before that date. In Dallas, volunteer workers will begin June 1 the huge task of filling out the names on more than 10,725,000 ration books for residents of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

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Salad Oil		Gallon Jug	\$1.73

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Crisco	3 Pound Jar		69c
Creamy White			
Spry	3 Pound Jar		69c
Wheaties	Breakfast of Champions Regular	2 Packages	19c
Matches	Rosebud	6 Large Boxes	28c
Shortening	Fluffo	4 Pound Carton	72c

Coffee	Maxwell House	1 Lb. Pkg.	33c
Coffee	Plymouth	Fresh Roasted	1 Lb. Pkg. 21c
Tea	Maxwell House	1/4 Lb. Pkg.	25c
Hershey Cocoa		8-Oz. Can	12c
Flour	E-Z Bake	Guaranteed	24 Lb. Sk. 1.09
Pink Salmon		1 Lb. Can	25c
Pet Milk		6 Small Cans	29c
Ball Mason Caps		Doz.	25c
Fruit Jars		Quart Size Doz.	69c

Gulf Spray	Insect Killer	Pt.	25c
Sanka	Coffee	Lb.	39c
California	Prunes	2 Lbs.	25c
Handies	Cleansing Tissue	300-Sheet Boxes	25c

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Blackeye Peas		2 lbs.	17c
Bananas	Golden Yellow	lb.	10c
Green Onions	Home Grown	2 bun.	9c
New Potatoes	Home Grown	5 Lbs.	18c

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## G. C. HUDSON TELLS CIVITANS ABOUT LOCAL POST OFFICE

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"This tremendous amount of mail is handled by only 33 employees. There are five rural carriers at this postoffice who cover a distance of over 300 miles a day while delivering mail," Hudson said. "Eight city carriers in Corsicana are followed by a truck load of mail that is reloaded during the day."

The speaker briefly scanned the history of the postoffice, pointing out that Roger Williams started the first postal system in Massachusetts during the early 1600's. With encouragement from Benjamin Franklin this system was made national in 1787, and the first postmaster general was appointed in 1794. At present there are more than 60,000 postoffices with over 45,000 rural routes.

"The employees are paid from the money taken in by stamp sales here, and also this money is used for building repairs," Hudson said in speaking about stamps. "There are more than 50 denominations of stamps, and each is designed and printed in an amazingly artistic and intricate style."

The program committee was Jesse Howell and Tom Orr, who introduced the speaker. George Powledge was a guest of F. C. Paul, and Dr. Will Miller was the guest of Dr. J. W. David. F. V. Williams presided and appointed R. L. Nix and Tom Eddy program chairman for next week.

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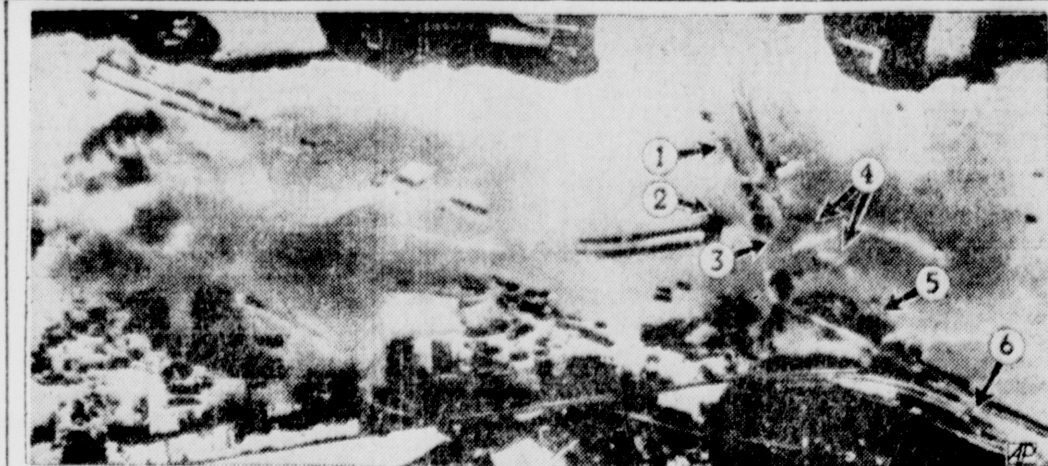
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**FLOOD WATERS FROM MOEHNE DAM**—Caption material for this British official photo transmitted via radio from London to New York says it shows flood waters from the RAF-bombed Moehne Dam, Germany, in the Rhur Valley at Froendenbergroesperde, 13 miles from the dam. British say arrows indicate: 1—Submerged road; 2—Isolated electricity works; 3—Destroyed road bridge; 4—Destroyed railway bridge; 5—Wrecked railway coaches and 6—Railroad sidings submerged.

## JAIL SENTENCE IMPOSED UPON TEN MARIJUANA CASES

HOUSTON, May 20.—(AP)—Federal Judge T. M. Kennerly today imposed jail sentences ranging from 60 days to 15 months each upon the remaining four of 10 defendants in the so-called New Orleans jazz orchestra marijuana cases.

The four sentenced today were: Olie James, 15 months; his brother, Charles James, 60 days; Charles Braun, 90 days and Gilmore Picou, 90 days.

Four days ago Judge Kennerly sentenced six defendants, including New Orleans Radio announcer and a night club master of ceremonies.

The specific charge was conspiracy to violate the national marijuana law of 1937. Evidence submitted in the trial showed that marijuana cigarettes had a retail price in New Orleans of from \$1 to \$2 each.

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## ENORMOUS INCREASE SHIPMENT SOYBEANS FOR TEXAS CRUSHING

AUSTIN, May 20.—(AP)—An enormous increase in shipments of Midwestern soybeans for crushing in Texas mills was announced today by the USDA.

On April 1, 1943, the bureau of agricultural economics said, 1,468,000 bushels were stored in Texas, compared with 4,000 bushels on Feb. 16, 1942.

Total capacity of all grain storage establishments in Texas on April 1, was 106,978,000 bushels compared with a total storage capacity of 100,622,000 bushels Feb. 16, 1942.

The USDA noted: Bulk storage capacity on April 1, 1943, was 80,908,000 compared with 75,724,000 on February 16, 1942. Sacked storage capacity totaled 26,070,000 against 24,898,000 in February, 1942. Crib capacity was 822,000 bushels compared with 919 bushels last year.

Total stocks of wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye, soybeans, flaxseed, Rice and grain sorghum April 1, 1943, were 55,187,000 bushels. While comparable estimates of stocks on April 1, 1942, are not available, stocks of the nine crops in comparable positions as of Feb. 16, 1942, were 56,083,000 bushels. Wheat stocks were 46,367,000 bushels on April 1, 1943, and 41,165,000 bushels on Feb. 16, 1942. Stocks of other grains for April 1, 1943, and Feb. 16, 1942, respectively, were: Corn 1,980,000 and 2,579,000 bushels; oats 777,000 and 1,255,000



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## FLOODS

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10,000 in Illinois. Many others were evacuated from homes in Oklahoma, Arkansas and Kansas. Property damage was extensive while damage to crops was expected to be severe although no official estimates were given.

Missouri Damages.

The Osage already is past all previous marks and a power plant at Begnell, Mo., is threatened. In Southeast Kansas, one of the worst floods in history paralyzed highway and railway traffic in a dozen counties, flooded a big power plant at Riverton curtailing power to the Tri-State (Missouri-Kansas-Oklahoma) mining district and shut down a big ordnance plant.

As the Red Cross sought to aid the 12,000 homeless in Indiana, the swollen Wabash river appeared to be falling slowly for 250 miles south of Wabash, Ind., but a gradual rise still was noted at Terre Haute, where damage was most widespread.

In Oklahoma, Grand river dam had half its 42 floodgates opened, with only six tenths of a foot below the top of the big federal hydro-electric project. The Arkansas river topped the 16-foot flood stage at Tulsa and was spreading over the lowlands.

Army Engineers in Indiana. Two companies of army engineers were in Vincennes, Ind., constructing an earth-filled timber box three feet high along 5,100 feet of concrete levee, and sandbagging some 3,000 feet of earth levee.

Navy crews from the Indianapolis armory were sent to Newport, and military police from Fort Benjamin Harrison were dispatched to Peru, Terre Haute and Washington, Ind.

A large part of Indiana's coal mines lay in the path of the yellow water below Terre Haute. Work in the coal fields around Sullivan halted yesterday.

Northern and Central towns miles from the Wabash, which had been menaced by normally tiny streams grown a mile and a half wide in some places, reported the situation was easing.

## Passenger Trains Orphans of Floods

CHANUTE, Kas., May 20.—(AP)—Two orphans of the flood—a couple of passenger trains trying to get from St. Louis to San Antonio—wandered on from Chanute today in their roundabout odyssey, hopeful of achieving their destination in the near future.

The two trains—the Frisco Meteor and the Katy Texas Special—left St. Louis Monday night on a journey that normally would have put them in San Antonio the following night.

But then came the floods in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas and today found the



**VON ARNIM SURRENDERS**—Col. Gen. Jurgen von Arnim, who succeeded Rommel as Axis commander in North Africa, steps from a car at the headquarters tent of Gen. Kenneth A. N. Anderson, First Army commander after 100-mile automobile trip. This official British photo was transmitted from Algiers via Signal Corps radiophoto.

iron horses still plodding around in and was to go via Santa Fe to

Wichita with clear sailing ahead for Texas. The Katy elected to try for Winfield and thence south—also with every prospect of

Tuesday they were at Parsons, south of Chanute. They then advanced to Dewey, Okla., but fell back later in the day, a net loss of 30 miles in 24 hours.

Virtually all the passengers, particularly the soldiers who had passed for only four meals, were out of funds, hungry and a little sick of the flowing scenery.

Today, fortified by a hearty breakfast of eggs, doughnuts, coffee and sandwiches from Chanute's Red Cross canteen, they boarded their respective trains for another try at San Antonio.

The Frisco took off for Empor-

## TEXAS COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES MADE FAVORABLE PROGRESS

AUSTIN, May 20.—(AP)—Texas commercial vegetables made generally favorable progress during the first half of May, the USDA reported today.

Early crops in the Southern part of the state were in need of moisture, but mid-season districts in the east and northeast had a splendid supply of moisture, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics said.

Good rains were received over practically all Central, East and Northeast Texas districts. South Texas districts, where rainfall has been deficient for several weeks, received very little precipitation from the almost statewide rains during the period of from May 6 to 10. Lower Valley tomatoes are in full harvest, but prospective production has been lowered by continued lack of rain.

Dry-land districts in South Texas were able to finish onion harvest with very little interruption. But the dry weather reduced cucumber yields; cantaloupe and watermelon progress has been delayed. Snap beans and tomato crops will be materially reduced unless good rains occur soon. Mid-season cantaloupe and watermelon crops are in good condition and the East Texas tomato districts have sufficient moisture to make a crop.

Practically all North Texas onion districts were materially benefited by the recent rains. South Texas potato districts have started harvest and crops in the late areas of this group are in good condition.

teaching goal.

At Kansas City, a Katy ticket office man sighed wearily: "We've got trains strung out all over the flood area. We don't know where half of them are."

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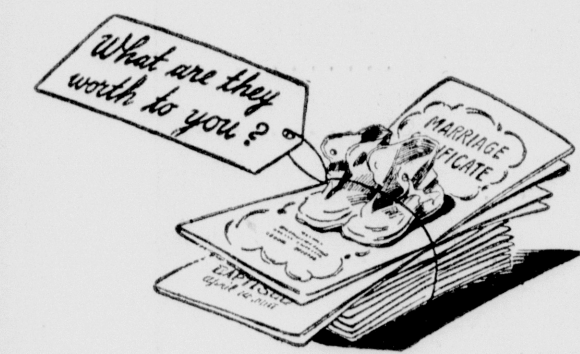
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## FORMER RESIDENT BLOOMING GROVE DIED FORT WORTH

H. M. Bower, age 75 years, died at the home of his daughter in Fort Worth Thursday morning. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but burial will be in the White church cemetery at Blooming Grove.

Mr. Bower had been a resident of Blooming Grove for 45 years. Surviving are the following children: Rex, Bower, Corsicana; Mrs. W. A. Hand, Fort Worth; Frances Carleton Bower, Fort Worth; Burt Bower, Blooming Grove; Chalmers Bower, Fort Worth; Mrs. Leonard Clark, Corsicana; Mrs. Harvey Blanton, Dallas; Mrs. Lorene Moor, Fort Worth; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

## GROWERS OF TEXAS POTATOES BE GIVEN INCREASE IN PRICE

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—Growers of Irish potatoes in Texas will be allowed a price increase of 30 cents per hundred pounds, the congressmen said yesterday they were informed by official sources.

In most Texas areas the present price ceiling is \$2.50 per hundred pounds, the congressmen said.

Representative Poage said he had been notified of the price increase by the Office of Price Administration and that later he ascertained that the increase had been approved by James F. Byrnes, director of economic stabilization.

Representative Albert Thomas said he had received similar information from OPA.

The growers' price increase, Poage and Thomas said they understood, would not be passed on to the consumer. Poage, a member of the agriculture committee, said he believed there would be a decrease in consumers' prices.

## ARMY FUND

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portation \$1,556,839,000, signal corps \$4,658,849,000, air force \$22,655,481,000, medical department \$455,112,000, engineer service \$2,576,404,000, ordnance department \$8,038,925,000, chemical warfare service \$342,260,000, manufacturing plant facilities \$749,000,000, and miscellaneous \$705,302,500.

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## Aides Are Needed Badly to Care for Young Children

According to an appeal by Mrs. Claude White, chairman of the Corsicana Nursery School, Corsicana women are needed as volunteers to assist the staff of the school conducting the various programmed activities.

If Corsicana women desire to contribute their share to making each day a happy and constructive one for the children who are now enrolled in the nursery school, they are urged to contact Mrs. Claude White, or Mrs. Ruth Yelvington who is director of the project.

Volunteers must enjoy working with children to make their work effective. They must know what children are like, what their needs are and how to meet these needs in everyday situations of life.

Volunteers must know the proper approach to children of nursery school age, they should know how to assist with the free activity periods, the story telling hour, the quiet hour, and the musical features of the program.

In order that the volunteers may be refreshed upon the technique to be used with children, Mrs. John Keel of the Air Activities Luncheon club has agreed to conduct discussion groups at the convenience of the volunteers.

Mrs. Keel is experienced in sociological work, and is well qualified to assist those who desire to aid in the nursery school staff.

**Nursery Needs.**

Among the equipment needed for the school at the present time is sand for the sand box, color books, large crayons, tools for construction work, toys of all kinds, but especially toys for the sand box. Two saw-horses could be used to good advantage, stated Mrs. White.

Corsicans who desire to donate any of the above items, are requested to communicate with Mrs. Claude White or Mrs. Ruth Yelvington.

## HEAVY DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY FIRE AT BUCK'S CAFE

Fire of undetermined origin Monday night about 10:30 o'clock caused damage estimated by fire department officials at \$6,000 to Buck's Cafe and the building owned by A. W. Lovernann on South Beaton street.

The loss was partially covered by insurance. A complete check-up on the insurance and loss had not been completed shortly before noon Tuesday, it was stated.

The fire department answered a call to 607 East Twelfth avenue shortly before 10 a.m. Tuesday where wallpaper had become ignited from an overheated stove. Little damage resulted.

## BUREAU OF MINES REPORTS ON TEXAS CRUDE AND FIELDS

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—The Bureau of Mines has issued a new, exhaustive report on analyses of Texas crude oils, based on samples from the state's new fields as well as its old fields on which reports have previously been issued.

The report, which is available upon request to the bureau, presents detailed distillation analysis of 90 individual samples and such general characteristics as gravity, color, viscosity, and sulfur content. Tables summarize the state's total production of 6,579,175,000 barrels by years from 1896 to 1940, inclusive, and the reported 1941 production for each field under investigation, with the cumulative output.

Texas' first oil well was drilled near Oil Springs, Nacogdoches county, in 1860-67, but its first oil field of major importance was not discovered until 1895, when a strike was made on Corsicana, Navarro County, the bureau observed, adding that production increased until Texas reached its present position as the leading producing state.

## APPLICATIONS FOR WAR RATION BOOK 3 BEING DELIVERED

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—Uncle Sam's mail carriers today began delivering 40,000,000 application blanks for war ration book No. 3.

If successful, the Office of Price Administration said the system may be used for all future ration books.

Ration Book No. 3 is intended as a replacement for books one and two when they run out of stamps. It will contain tabs with pictures of airplanes, tanks, aircraft carriers, and artillery.

These tickets will be used for continuation of sugar, coffee, and shoe rationing. The book also will contain point value stamps for canned goods and meat rationing.

Although the application blanks will begin going forth to households today, OPA said it was asking recipients not to return the blanks before June 1 because no machinery has been set up yet for receiving them.

**Parking Meter Receipts.**

A decrease of \$16.04 was noted in the receipts from the parking meters the past week in figures released Thursday morning at the office of J. P. Welch, city secretary.

The past week's receipts amounted to \$220.58, while those of the previous week totaled \$236.62.

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## FIRST SIXTY HOURS HARDEST AND FULL RESPONSIBILITY ON CIVILIAN INSTRUCTORS

By CLARECE REDDEN  
Daily Sun Staff.

Outwitting crafty, slant-eyed Japs and square-jawed nazis day after day, ace American pilots put to use the many tricks of flying taught them not so long ago during their first sixty hours of training at one of the nation's primary flying schools, like the one at Corsicana.

The men responsible for accuracy and precision of maneuvers applied by these combat pilots in action are the civilian primary instructors, the unsung heroes of World War II, who are giving no small part of their lives each day to the training of the Army Air Forces flyers.

**A Hard Worker.**

Day after day the civilian instructor adds another wrinkle to his brow as he explains, repeats, argues, shouts, and pleads flying instructions to his cadets. After ten weeks of hard work, he bids "Adieu" to graduating cadets, remembering long afterwards the many peculiarities, individualities, and short comings of each of his students. Forgetting each time the worn patience and frazzled nerves of the previous class, the instructor strides out anew to meet a fresh group and to begin again the slow, tedious job of teaching each the art of flying.

"Anybody can learn to fly," he assures. But that is just the point. Each day the army is speeding up the out-put of men, doubling the pressure on flying instructors, requiring new men to be turned out of the primary schools at a faster rate of speed. Graduates must be accurate, well trained, ready for heavier and faster ships at basic, advanced, and some day soon, combat. He must be able to fly "the Army way," the job and responsibility of the primary instructor.

**Great Responsibility.**

"The importance of the work being done by the civilian instructor cannot be over emphasized," stressed Captain L. S. Dwyer, commanding officer of Corsicana Field. "They have a tremendous responsibility, that of choosing the pilots of our combat aircraft."

"I can think of no other civilians as more closely and directly concerned with the war effort than these men," Capt. Dwyer continued. "Though they do not wear uniforms, they are doing the same job as the trained pilot officers in the service."

To become an instructor, a man must be an experienced pilot. After passing a stiff physical examination he must have an acceptable record, to determine the pilot's natural flying ability. If he is accepted by the field, he is placed in a "refresher course," to teach him how to teach his future cadets.

In the refresher course the student instructor must learn precision and accuracy in his maneuvers, and must have continual ground school. Much more is expected of him than of the cadets, as he must be able to transfer his knowledge and ability to the cadet.

**Must Be Perfect.**

After three to six weeks of learning how the army wants cadets trained, and after his final acceptance check ride by the army, if he is ninety per cent (or more) satisfactory to the school, he becomes a primary civilian instructor.

He starts with the minimum number of cadets, the first class, and carries a full load of five the next class. He and his cadets are checked during his first trials at instructing, and, along with all primary instructors, is given a standardized ride every one and one-half months, to keep him in line with "the Army way."

The instructor must teach the fundamentals to the cadet, and then help him to blend these fundamentals into various maneuvers," explained Leland Long, supervisor of flying since January, former instructor, flight commander, and squadron commander.

**Each Student Different.**

"Each student presents a different problem because of his different personality and nervous and mental reactions. You can talk U. S. to some, and others must have baby talk. Some students are too wild and must be tamed, others are meek and have to be pushed. Some too slow, need speed, others must be held back."

"The instructor must change his frame of mind, his tactics, and his personality for each individual cadet. He must restrain himself when his patience is worn threadbare, and must know just the right tone of voice to impress facts on his student," Long explained.

Here is a typical day's schedule for the average civilian primary instructor:

About 6 o'clock in the morning he arises, gets breakfast in town or at the field, and gets out to the "ready room" around 7 or 7:30. He changes into flying togs and is on the "flying line" by 7:45 or 8.

Before he goes up he must get in the right frame of mind, try to forget everything, and everybody outside of the one cadet who is awaiting his instructions.

**Heavy Schedule.**

Through his schedule of many

bad rides, some fair, none perfect, he must restrain himself, keep calm, try to make all circumstances to help and teach the cadet with no delay. After two to five hours in the air each day, he returns to the ground to spend one or two hours making out grade slips from notes made on a small slip pad worn on his knee during the time he is in the airplane.

These grade slips must be filled out in a clear, concise, and accurate way, as they are the history of each cadet's climb to combat.

Before and after each ride, the instructor must readjust himself his personality, emotions, and personal feelings. When he gets away from the field, and when he goes back he must change again.

In a small way, to show the citizens in this city and throughout the nation, that these men are playing a part in the service of the nation, they are equal and above many officers in the armed forces, civilian primary instructors are coming to be dressed in a distinctive and standardized uniform, soon coming to announcements by primary school officials.

**Rigid Qualifications.**

"It is absolutely impossible to replace instructors," stated B. Wynne Woolley, Corsicana Field director. "That is one of our biggest worries, because of the rigid qualifications required to become an instructor."

"Primary instructors are doing the most important phase of pilot training, that of teaching the pilots to fly," he pointed out.

"This is a refresher course instructor from Wichita Falls, Texas, standardization check rider, and former instructor, stated: "Some men with as much flying experience as 2,000 hours do not pass L. S. Dwyer's refresher course because of the difficulty in changing from civilian flying to the army way. Less than 50 per cent of instructors who enter this course fail to pass."

The instructor must go through a tough course in order to prepare him for the tremendous responsibility of instructing others. He must be able to determine whether the cadet is going to be able to make it through basic and advanced training, as well as primary, because of the future safety of the cadet and his instructors, and because of the financial investment in him by the United States government.

**Must Know Cadet.**

"The hardest job the instructor has," continued Parish, "is that of learning his cadet, and changing his personality to suit that of the cadet, as the cadet surely will never change to suit the instructor."

Charles Tuttle, refresher course instructor and standardization pilot from Gladewater, pointed out the nervous and mental strain of instructing, because of the repetition day after day, and because of the lack of progress on the part of many cadets. He agreed with Parish in that the hardest job is that of learning or analyzing your cadet, so that you can put him at ease, and make him relax.

Flight Commander H. B. Hargrove of Edinburg, Texas, has the job of checking cadets on their progress, and recommending them for check rides with army check pilots. He has his hands full helping both the instructors in his flight and their cadets.

Thomas Courtney, Jr., of Shreveport, La., is a senior instructor with the job of helping weak cadets and trying to get them up to the average level progress of other cadets. His observation of cadets' chief weaknesses is that the hardest thing for the cadet to do is to learn fast enough.

**Never a Dull Moment.**

J. R. Gibson, flight instructor from Davenport, Iowa, says that the work is never dull, and that interest runs high at all times. Instructing is a very good study in human nature, though at times it takes a great amount of self control, patience, and endurance. He stated that his method of putting the cadet at ease and getting him to relax is to laugh at him and to treat him like a fellow human being.

With the seriousness of the fight in mind and allied victory as the purpose, the instructor studies his student, and within the first twelve hours knows fairly well what place the student will play in the winning of the war, as a combat pilot, navigator, or bombardier.

The whole future success of each cadet depends almost wholly on the thoroughness of the instructor's knowledge of him, the background of flying instilled in him during his first encounter with aircraft, and the ability of his civilian primary flying instructor.

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## PACIFIC WAR

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tary of the Navy Frank Knox has officially announced that American losses were "much lighter than expected."

The Japanese account said the Americans landed at Holtz and Massacre Bays, on the east end of the 35-mile-long island, under cover of heavy aerial and naval bombardment.

U. S. planes began an eight-hour assault at 2 a. m., May 12, the dispatch said, and at 10 a. m. the next day American warships loomed through the dense fog outside Holtz bay and fired "salvo" after salvo in a wild effort which seemed to indicate the enemy was intent on blowing the island out of the sea.

The dispatch said that after beating off repeated American attacks and having "accounted for 700 to 800 Americans during the day (May 14)," that Japanese lost "more than two-thirds of their strength" and the Japanese commanding officer ordered his exhausted men to fall back to the ridges east of Holtz Bay.

**Jap Headquarters Destroyed.**

The account ended with the acknowledged destruction of Japanese headquarters on the ridge five days ago—and from there, as the navy announced yesterday, the enemy retreated into a tight pocket around Chigafog harbor on the northeast coast.

With the Japanese garrison on Attu apparently doomed, Washington quarters forecast a sustained aerial offensive against Japan once the enemy had been thrown out of the Aleutians.

From advanced bases in the 1,000-mile-long archipelago, thrusting like a scimitar from Alaska toward Japan, powerful new U. S. bombers may strike at Tokyo, self this summer and planes of lesser range could pound the enemy's key outposts in the Kurile Islands 760 miles from Attu.

It was suggested that Russia, despite her noose from the Pacific war, might turn over air bases in Siberia and on the Kamchatka peninsula to the allies for short-range bombing of Japan.

**Russian Air Bases Sought.**

Prime Minister Churchill said yesterday that he and President Roosevelt hoped to meet soon with Russia's premier Joseph Stalin, as well as China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, and there was at least a possibility that the question of Russia providing bombing bases would be explored.

Other Pacific developments saw Gen. Douglas MacArthur's bombs

## Striking Miners Must Return Work

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 20.—(AP)—A district president of the United Mine Workers, James Mark, hurried home from New York today, bearing orders from UMW President John L. Lewis that 4,000 striking soft coal diggers must return to their jobs.

Nine mines were closed in central Pennsylvania District 2, which comprises 45,000 miners. A tenth pit had been closed, but its 900 employees voted to return to work and were doing so today.

Meanwhile the strikes spread to the Pittsburgh area in UMW District 3 with the closing of a mine employing 350.

The miners struck in protest against the War Labor Board's retention of their contract negotiations. The walkouts violated the union's agreement to continue working until May 31.

## Oak Valley H. D. Club Met Thursday

Oak Valley Home Demonstration Club met May 13, in the home of Mrs. O. E. Scarborough, with Mrs. Borden Owen leading a discussion on literature pertaining to good family life and also on victory menus.

Iced tea, sandwiches and cookies were served to eleven members. The next meeting will be on May 27, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Woodard, 1412 West Tenth avenue, at which time Miss Vera Sneed, county home demonstration agent, will show the process of successfully canning and preservation of food.

round the Japanese base of Koe-bang, Dutch New Guinea, destroying probably seven enemy planes, while on the Burma front both American and British raiders stepped up the fury of their assault on the Japanese.

U. S. Army 10th air force planes dropped more than 100 tons of bombs on enemy fuel depots, rail targets and other objectives along a 175-mile stretch in the Irrawaddy river valley, which lies between Mandalay and Rangoon, and left huge fires burning.

British headquarters reported "no change" on the Arakan front, along the Bay of Bengal coast, where the Japanese have been driving toward the India-Burma frontier amid Tokyo boasts that the Mikado's armies were preparing to "liberate" India's 320,000,000.

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linked it to his forthright expression of hope that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek of China and Premier Stalin of Russia might soon meet with him and President Roosevelt.

**Battle for Attu.**

The battle for control of Attu appeared to be moving toward a swift conclusion with American ground forces, supported by naval guns, driving the outnumbered enemy troops into a pocket around Chigafog Harbor at the northeastern extremity of the island.

A navy communiqué yesterday reported that American units held the heights overlooking enemy positions at Holtz Bay, southwest of Chigafog Harbor, and that advance patrols of the original forces which landed at opposite points on the north and south sides of the island had joined.

In the Southwest Pacific, Allied bombers raided Koepeang, Dutch Timor, yesterday, shooting down three enemy fighters and destroying two Japanese planes on the ground. Two other grounded planes probably were destroyed. Three Allied fighters failed to return.

On Tuesday, Allied headquarters in Australia announced, Japanese planes dropped 20 bombs over One Bay New Guinea, 50 miles below Buna, but caused no damage. One of the nine raiding planes was downed by anti-aircraft fire.

**Gets Down to Business.**

HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 20.—(AP)—Its organizational formalities cleared away, the United Nations food conference got down to business today with persons prominent in crop stabilization programs of the 30s playing major roles in a search for ways of operating an abundant future.

On the roster of United States advisers were R. M. Evans, member of the board of governors of the federal reserve system and former agricultural adjustment administrator; and H. R. Tolley, chief of the bureau of agricultural economics of the agriculture department, and former AAA administrator.

Conference Chairman Marvin Jones figured prominently in the AAA picture as chairman of the house agriculture committee. He helped push through congress legislation authorizing the payment of subsidies to farmer cooperating with programs designed to bring farm production in line with a demand which would assure growers fair prices.

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destroyed on the ground were the Milo field. At Milas airfield, in central Sardinia, Mitchell's scored direct hits on at least six grounded planes and at Villacido, where approximately 50 planes were parked, hits were seen all over the dispersal area and several explosions were observed in fuel dumps. (The dispatch did not bring out where the Americans destroyed the 44th grounded plane, but presumably it was one of those at Villacido, 25 miles northwest of Cagliari.)

A lone Beaufighter patrolling the eastern Sardinian coast encountered five torpedo-carrying Junkers 88s. It destroyed one, probably destroyed a second and damaged a third.

U. S. Bombers Bag 28.  
The twenty-eight others shot down in combat were bagged by American bombers and fighter escorts in raids during which tons of bombs were dropped on Italy's island outposts.

The biggest fight of the day occurred between the Sicilian coast and the Gadi islands where enemy fighters attacked Fortresses which had just bombed Milo field. The Fortresses shot down 10 and P-38 Lightnings which were escorting damaged three more in a spectacular running battle which continued 20 minutes, with the opposing forces flying at heights ranging from sea level to 24,000 feet.

Staff Sgt. Fred Bowker of Oak Park, Ill., was credited with shooting down two ME-109's.

Texas Gets Plane.  
Other Fortress gunners said to have destroyed one enemy plane each included Staff Sgt. Jack P. Thomas of Dallas, Texas.

All their victims were ME-109s except for a Pocke-Wulf 190 shot down by Lieutenant Puglisi.

Six enemy fighters were blasted from the skies by Lightnings escorting Mitchells on the Villacido airfield raid.

Lieut. Louis E. Curdos of Fort Wayne, Ind., shot down two, boosting his total string to six. Other Lightning pilots who bagged one each included Lieutenant Jesse G. Oliver of Victoria, Texas.

The first of Curdos' two victims caught fire after two long bursts from the Lightning guns.

Lieut. Ralph E. Embrey of Washington, D. C., dashed into battle when he saw a Messerschmitt closing in on Lieut. Julius Schoenberg of Houston, Texas. Embrey came in so rapidly he had to drop his plane swiftly to pass under his victim after a burst from his guns apparently killed the German pilot.

Dallas Man Got Italian Plane.  
Staff Sgt. Frank Jordan of Dallas, Texas, shot down an Italian Macchi-200.

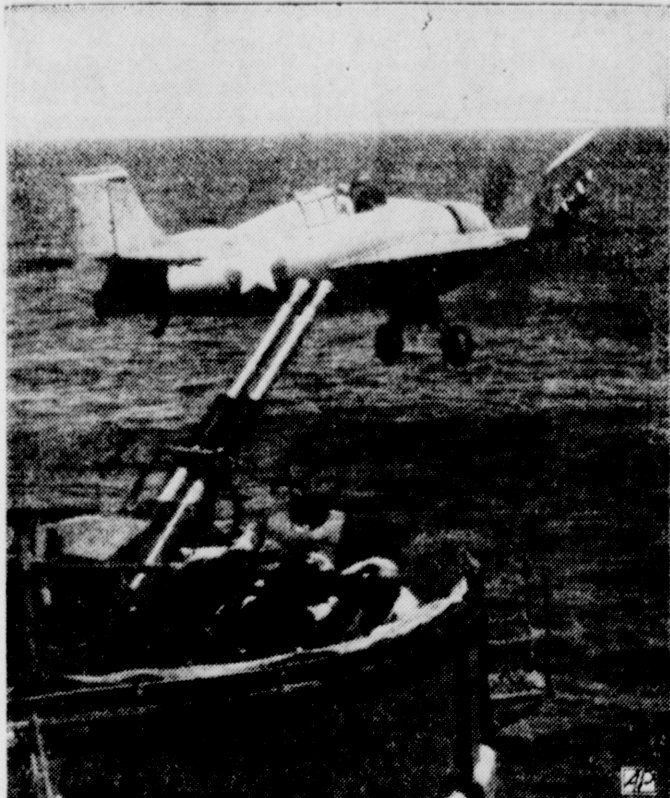
(Fourteen allied aircraft were declared by the German high command to have been destroyed in the coastal regions of Sardinia and Sicily.)

(The Italian high command said in a communique broadcast from Rome and recorded by the Associated Press that axis planes had torpedoed and probably sank two medium-sized allied steamers off the Algerian coast and heavily damaged a third vessel of 10,000 tons.)

(The Italian bulletin said the ports of Sfax, Tunisia, and Oran, Algeria, were "effectively attacked by axis bombers.")

(Some casualties and small damage were caused at Trapani (Sicily), in the region of Campidano (Sardinia) and in Cagliari province by enemy aircraft which were strongly engaged by Italian and German fighters and suffered a total loss of 13 machines," the communique said. "A four-engined bomber also was destroyed over Sicily by anti-aircraft defenses.")

All Receive Same Medical Care.  
WASHINGTON, May 20.—(AP)—A private and a general receive exactly the same amount of medical care whatever is needed—when wounded. Lieut. Col. Bernice M. Wilbur of Boston, newly-named director of nursing service in the



A WING TIP WRECKED—The fighter plane trying to land on the escort carrier Altamaha has just clipped the Bofors 40 mm anti-aircraft guns and broken the tip of its right wing. But it's still on an even keel. Note two gunners are holding on to their helmets, but one helmet is flying in the air. The plane plunged into the sea, bobbed up and the pilot scrambled out of his gear and dived clear.

HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR PERSONALITY  
By VERONICA DENGEL

WEDDING COUNSEL

There will be many June weddings this year—Perhaps more than usual. And most of these weddings will be planned in a hurry when a certain young man's leave is definite. Under most circumstances it is best to plan quite an informal wedding, the bride wearing a simple print dress, or a plain crepe in a becoming color. Do not use black in a dress or suit for a wedding costume. It is too sombre and is not appropriate. This would also hold true of any costume worn by an attendant. Of course, a hat is needed, and this should be colorful and gay—perhaps flowers and a veil. Smarter than this, if one is wearing fresh flowers, as is usually the case, would be a ribbon ruching trimming, closely bunched with edges frayed to give that charming feathery effect.

White gloves are the best choice unless a costume definitely calls for something different. And accessories must be carefully chosen for color and harmony.

Should a veil and bridal gown be chosen, everything else must be in keeping. The bridesmaids, or maid of honor must be dressed in something special for the occasion—not a summer frock, or afternoon dress, that would be worn on the street. All the more reason—because this—would it be wiser to keep the wedding plan

simple unless one can afford all the special trappings required to make a formal wedding correct and gracious. It is always rather pathetic to see a wedding that is only one part right—and three parts wrong. Young men in hired clothes, looking and feeling most uncomfortable, the brides in veils and headresses that lend no beauty to their appearance—and bridesmaids in taffeta dresses that stick out in the wrong places. Wedding gowns and bridesmaids' dresses are very expensive—and the church decorations, reception and refreshments, engraved invitations, automobiles, gifts, fees, and on and on down the terrific list of expenses—most of which fall upon the bride or her parents, can come to an alarming total; therefore, it is well to consider carefully what you can spend before starting plans that cannot be recalled.

It doesn't seem fair to leave a pile of bills on Dad's desk unless it means little or nothing to his bank account. The day when parents were expected to send off their daughter in a style and to which she was not accustomed is past. We are a lot more sensible about this—and frankly, an unwarranted display of wealth at this time is out of keeping with the times. Have a simple, pretty wedding, and let the balance of the money go into war bonds!

All requests for information "Health Beauty and Poise" information desired must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed stamped envelope (S.A.S.E.) address: Veronica Dengel in care of this newspaper.

North African theater of operations, declared today.

As a first lieutenant, from which rank she skipped to that of lieutenant colonel, Miss Wilbur nursed Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair, commander of the U. S. army ground forces, after he was wounded on the Tunisian front April 23. General McNair now is

back on active duty in this country, and Col. Wilbur plans to return to Africa.

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ment and the bombing and strafing of German positions by Russian airmen.

The Russians described the sharp fighting in the Izyum sector as scouting in force. Scouts dislodged the Germans from an important hill position and then held it against counterattacks.

North of Leningrad the Russians kept the new Finnish Karelian defenses under continual artillery harassment, it was said.

Russian artillery also was busy west of Rostov, the war bulletin added. The midnight communique told of the Red army big guns smashing at a concentration of German tanks in the Sevsk area northwest of Kharkov.

Final Defeat Axis Predicted By Davies  
NEW YORK, May 20.—(AP)—Joseph E. Davies, former U. S. ambassador to Russia now visiting the Soviet capital to carry a message from President Roosevelt to Premier Stalin, said in a statement on his arrival yesterday that the final smash of Fascist aggression is as evident as the fact that after night comes day.

In the statement, broadcast by the Russian radio and recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, Davies said the Russians' "wonderful resistance to the Huns astonished the world, though I, in

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Ghent area; a factory at Tanagerbrugge; five barges in the Lys river, and three trains near Poisy, Sens and Bonnières.

On Other Fronts.  
Other war headlines: Aleutian American troops pitch into last-stand Japanese remnants on Attu Island; Tokyo broadcast admits Japanese losses up to 66 per cent.

Russia—Heavy German, Soviet troop movements reported on 1,500-mile battlefield hint great summer campaign may erupt soon; Moscow says Red armies crush strong German attacks in Caucasus; Berlin says Russians open sharp attacks in four key sectors.

Turkey—Travelers report Germans fear allied invasion through Balkans more than attack on Nazi Atlantic wall, declare Hitler may forego summer offensive in Russia to hold reserves for anti-invasion defense.

Burma—American, British planes step up attacks on Japanese as invaders threaten India; British report "no change" in land fighting.

Southwest Pacific—Gen. MacArthur's bombers raid Japanese base at Koepong, Dutch Timor; enemy planes attack allied outpost at Oroquieta.

Greater Blows To Come.  
While allied fliers beat with mounting fury at both ends of Nazi-occupied Europe, British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden declared in London that the month's command was gathering strength and that "as the months pass our enemies will feel its blow ever more heavily."

German night raiders jabbed at London for the fourth consecutive night, stirring two brief alarms, but damage and casualties were officially described as small.

On the Russian front, Soviet headquarters reported today that the Red armies had smashed tank-led German counterattacks in the Kuban valley of the Caucasus and said the whole 1,500-mile battle line was astir with land and air action.

A German broadcast said the Russians were striking out in sharp new thrusts in the sectors of Staraya, south of Volkhov, and near Orel and Belgorod, and a Berlin dispatch reaching Moscow said the Russians were developing big troop movements in the Caucasus, above Kursk and south of Leningrad.

President Benes Looks Ahead.  
NEW YORK, May 20.—(AP)—Expressing belief that the European war will be over within a year, President Eduard Benes of Czechoslovakia says the peace conference should not take place until a provisional peace is made and the war with Japan is ended.

Dr. Benes told the Council of Foreign Relations here last night that armistice terms must be prepared before the end of actual warfare.

May Suppress Foreign Papers.  
LONDON, May 20.—(AP)—Ernest Brown, minister of information, told the house of commons today that certain foreign language newspapers in Britain might be suppressed as a result of their comments on the Russian-Polish diplomatic break.

He apparently referred to Polish journals which have made attacks on Russia and whose suppression has been frequently proposed in parliament.

Ten Norwegians Executed.  
STOCKHOLM, May 20.—(AP)—Ten Norwegians who allegedly were making preparations to join the Allies in the event of an invasion, were executed by the Nazis yesterday, it was officially announced in Oslo today.

Mailboat Torpedoed.  
LONDON, May 20.—(AP)—The German-controlled Paris radio reported today that the mailboat General Bonaparte, operating between Corsica and Nice, had been torpedoed yesterday 40 miles off the French coast while carrying 192 passengers and a crew of 50.

German naval craft picked up survivors, said the broadcast, which was recorded by the Associated Press. It did not give the number of lives lost, if any.

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LONDON, May 20.—(AP)—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair announced today that Viscount Knollys, governor of Bermuda, has been appointed chairman of the British overseas airways corporation, whose directorate has been the subject of recent debates in Parliament. Knollys has resigned the Bermuda post.

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TEHRAN, Iran, May 19.—(AP)—Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet ambassador to the United States, arrived here by plane today from Cairo on his way to Moscow for consultations.

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The envoy said the epic of Soviet resistance to the German attack "will never be forgotten as long as people love freedom and liberty."

"Under the far-sighted leadership of Premier Stalin, President Roosevelt and leaders of other United Nations, the final smash of Fascist aggression is as evident as the fact that after night comes day."



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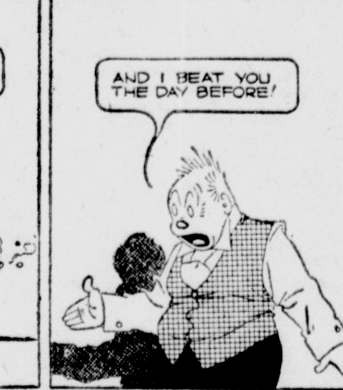
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SO HAVE I



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WHAT'S THE MAN'S NAME?



WELL?



JOHN DOE



STUBBS AND TIPPIE



THE FIRST DOLLAR YOU EVER



HE ACTED KINDA MAD



MY LAND! DID YOU GO ANY TELL



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WHAT'S THE MAN'S NAME?  
JOHN DOE  
WELL?  
JOHN DOE  
OKAY, IT'S JOHN DOE, YOU'RE THE 776 TH THAT'S GOT A LICENSE TO MARRY HIM TODAY  
STUBBS AND TIPPIE  
DO YOU REALLY STILL HAVE IT, MR. BUDGE?  
HAVE WHAT?  
THE FIRST DOLLAR YOU EVER EARNED? GRANMA SAYS YOU HAD IT!  
WEREN'T YOU NEAR ANY STORES??  
HE ACTED KINDA MAD  
WELL HE WOULDN'T SAY WHETHER HE STILL HAD HIS FIRST DOLLAR OR NOT--  
MY LAND! DID YOU GO ANY TELL HIM WHAT I SAID, CAP STUBBS?!  
By Ed Wynn



## Social Revue

Mrs. B. N. Waddell of Hubbard visited in the home of relatives here this week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. O. Cheek, former residents of Kerens, held open house at their home in Waco on Tuesday evening in honor of their daughter, Lilliam, whose wedding is to be in June.

Lt. and Mrs. Maco Stewart, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, and Fernie C. Stewart went to Dallas Tuesday for Lt. Stewart to go by plane to Athens, Ga. Mrs. Stewart will remain here for several days.

Corsicana friends of Miss Mary Jane Daniel of Kerens will be interested in knowing that she won one of the scholarship awards at the closing exercises of the Kerens schools on Friday evening of last week.

Rev. Roy Langston of Temple, former pastor of the First Methodist church of Corsicana, has been selected to deliver the baccalaureate sermon at Westminster Junior college at Tehuacana on Sunday May 23rd.

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## Courthouse News

## District Court.

The jury for the week Wednesday morning was finally excused by Wayne R. Howell, district judge, and cases set for trial were continued. Judge Howell stated that only ten jurors in the panel did not have legal and legitimate excuses incident to the pressing farm work, and that it appeared that there will be little chance of trying contested jury cases before the jury term.

A temporary restraining order was granted Wednesday afternoon by Wayne R. Howell, district judge, in the case styled the State of Texas vs. Selma Luther Burnett, et al, application for injunction, to restrain and enjoin the defendants from violating the prohibition laws in Navarro county. A hearing on the matter is set for May 23. Others named in the proceeding were Royce Threadgill, alias Rooster Threadgill, and Finis Fluiter.

## District Clerk's Office.

Mrs. Margaret Patrick vs. Roy G. Patrick, divorce.

Mary Lou Dorsey vs. Jasper D. Dorsey, divorce.

Corell Jenkins vs. Love Jenkins, divorce.

## County Court

E. D. McCormick, county judge, stated Wednesday he was instructing a jury slated to report in court next week it had been excused because of the rush of farming work at the present time. Cases set for next week will be reset for three weeks hence, Judge McCormick said.

## Probate Court.

The wills of W. T. Parker and C. G. Davidson, both deceased, have been filed for probate.

## Sheriff's Office.

Two were arrested on intoxication charges, one for disturbing the peace and two for investigation. Sheriff Cap Curington reported Wednesday that the H. S. Whorton filling station at Blooming Grove was entered during the night and 13 tires, 10 new tubes, and seven reconditioned tubes were missed. Entrance was effected through the front door.

Clifton Dunning, negro, escaped convict from the Texas penitentiary, arrested Monday night here by county and state officers, made a statement after arrest. Sheriff Curington stated Wednesday, relative to the burglarizing of the house of Carl Basland, reclassification clerk of the Texas Prison System, Huntsville, on the night of May 11. The sheriff said that boots, shoes, shirts, trousers, underwear, and a quantity of bacon and other articles were taken and later were disposed of in Dallas.

Dunning was serving a 25-year prison sentence on a murder conviction in connection with the slaying of his wife here several years ago. Dunning escaped May 11 when several other negroes made their getaway from the prison.

Penitentiary agents are expected to come for the escapee Wednesday or Thursday.

Two were arrested by county officers in connection with the breaking into a couple of juke boxes.

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## Marriage Licenses.

Rudolph Villarreal and Petro Santos.

Gerald Wayne Brown and Billie Jean Richardson.

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## Warranty Deeds.

Alvin H. Lane, et al. to Dr. E. F. Waters, Block 331, Corsicana, \$7,500.

Rosa Edwards, et al. to A. W. Keathley, 1 lot in Noah Kezzia sur-

## Market Report

## Local Markets

Cotton 20.70  
Cotton seed 40.00

## Cotton

Texas Spot Markets  
DALLAS, May 20.—Spot cotton 21.02; Galveston 20.91; Houston 20.93.

## Grains and Provisions

Port Worth Cash Grain.  
PT. WORTH, May 20.—Wheat No. 1 hard 1.35-1.40.

Barley No. 2, nom 1.04-1.12.  
Sorghums No. 2, yellow mid 1.00-1.05; No. 2 white mid 1.00-1.05.  
Corn (shelled), prices as follows:  
No. 2, white 1.00-1.05; No. 2, yellow 1.00-1.05; No. 2, white 1.00-1.05; No. 2, yellow 1.00-1.05.

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Two loads of 629 to stocker yearlings 16.00; stocker cows 12.25 down.

Hogs 1.700; steady; good and choice 100-100 lb butchers 14.25; with good 150-155 lb averages 15.50-16.15.

Sheep 4.500; steady; cull to good 12.00-12.50; good to choice 13.00-13.50.

Kind held above 14.25. Choice old crop short lambs 14.50 with medium to good 15.00-15.50; yearlings 16.00-16.50; less. Short two weeks old 16.50-17.50; 8.50 with aged weathers 16.50-17.50; Ewes 5.00-7.00; mixed 6.00-7.00; spring feeder lambs sold mostly 10.00 down.

W. L. Thomas to William J. Alford, Lot 6, Block 7, College Hill Addition, Corsicana, \$100.

W. A. Megarity, et ux, to B. C. Hoffman, et ux, Lot 6, Block 419, Corsicana \$700.

O. L. Renfro, et ux, to Mrs. Annie Wilkins, part of the M. A. Truhy League survey, \$700.

W. D. Hart, et al, to R. H. Vest, 36,015 acres of the James M. Smith League survey, \$1,260.

A. S. Genecov, et ux, to M. E. Savage, part of Block 459, Corsicana, \$5,000.

Harris Construction Company to George R. Markham, et ux, Lot 5, Block 526-C, F. P. Flicklin Addition, Corsicana, \$100 and other considerations.

J. P. Fussell to R. J. Fussell, 1-2 interest in 166 acres of the Joshua Graham survey, \$10 and other considerations.

J. Seales, et ux, to Mrs. Valsey Beyer, part of the G. L. Smith survey, \$1,000 and other considerations.

G. C. Hall, et ux, to W. D. Johnson, Lot 8, Block 4, Eldorado Addition, Dawson, \$362.50 and other considerations.

P. T. Fullwood to Joe Johnson, North 1-2 Lots 9 and 10, Block 43, H. T. C. R. R. Co. Addition Corsicana, \$1,000.

J. N. Edens to Cities Service Oil Company, 50.72 acres of the heirs of James Smith survey, \$10 and other considerations.

Mrs. Jessie Humphries to Cities Service Oil Company, 119 acres of the James Smith League survey, \$10 and other considerations.

R. D. Fleming to Cities Service Oil Company, 66.21 acres of the Heirs of James Smith survey, \$360.

W. B. Humphries, et ux, to Cities Service Oil Company, 13 acres of the Heirs of James Smith survey, \$10 and other considerations.

Edwin J. Halsomback, et ux, to Claude C. Rogers, et ux, Lot 3, James Addition, Corsicana, \$200 and other considerations.

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## Blooming Grove

BLOOMING GROVE, May 20.—(Spl.)—Mrs. E. D. McCormick and little daughters, Virginia and Adelaide, and Mrs. Leon Taylor were spending the day guests of Mrs. Hulda Robinson on Tuesday of this week.

Miss Lorraine George of Port Worth spent Sunday at home. W. C. Gillen and wife of Lampasas visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. J. W. Hunt and baby daughter returned to Wichita Falls Sunday after spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragler.

Mrs. Miller Reid and son, John, visited her mother in McGregor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Russell were visiting in Dallas Sunday.

Miss Francis Huffstutler and Miss Arelaide Harper of Port Worth spent the week end in the home of Mrs. W. E. Huffstutler, Miller Reid and Jeff Grady were in Dallas Monday.

Supt. and Mrs. Black visited their daughter in Mexia Saturday and Sunday.

Cpl. Henry Fields of New Orleans is on furlough and visiting his brother, J. W. Fields, here.

Mrs. W. G. Walton returned Monday to assume her duties in the local school. She has spent the past two weeks with her husband, who is in the army in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams returned to their home in Norman, Okla., after visiting several days with their parents.

Sp. Doy Phillips of Arkansas is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Phillips.

Rev. Joe Snell of Port Worth came in Friday and filled his regular appointment at the Central Baptist church Sunday.

## Dresden

DRESDEN, May 20.—(Spl.)—The farmers are very busy rebedding and replanting their land.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cheek and daughter, Billie Dean, visited Mr. and Mrs. Francis McGovern and R. L. Cunningham Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Furra and Miss Joy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whitehead and Miss Bessie Whitehead.

Miss Geraldine Holditch, a graduate nurse who has been employed at Baylor Hospital, Dallas, was entertained by Miss Dean Mintra last Thursday night with a fish fry at the home of Mrs. Mintra, before Miss Hatch left for Houston Sunday afternoon.

Port Worth, where she enters the army corps as a second lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hubbard and son, Billy Dwayne, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Denbo Monday night.

James Lee McNabb of Dallas visited in the E. B. Cagle and W. D. Cheek homes last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Minnefee of Raleigh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buckner.

Ed Yates and family and Hazel and W. Herring visited in the John Yates home last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Crawford and children spent Sunday in Corsicana with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crawford.

Jimmie Sumner was painfully injured last Thursday while playing football at school, when he was struck in the face with a bat.

Wilfred Betts and mother visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grice at Hubbard Sunday afternoon.

R. L. Cunningham, who has been real sick the past two weeks, is better and Obe Vest, who has been confined to his room so long, is much better, being able to attend Sunday school last Sunday.

J. S. Sheffield and Mr. and Mrs. Biddle Bell of Frost visited in the Rexan Gardens home Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Mintra and Mrs. Bruce Denbo spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. B. Cagle.

## Pickett

PICKETT, May 20.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Burleson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burleson of Corbet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farmer of Pickett visited Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Farmer of Emhouse Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Easterling spent Sunday with Mrs. G. W. DeRusha of Corsicana.

H. T. Johnson of San Augustine visited his wife and children during the week end.

Pvt. Willie L. Birge and wife of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Nichols during the week end.

Glynn Weeks, who is with the Coast Guard in Florida, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Weeks.

Corp. George W. Bolen of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bolen the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nichols of Ennis visited relatives at Pickett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin are the proud parents of a several year daughter, Nancy Lee, who was born at the Navarro Clinic Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins visited Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard in Corsicana Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Livingston of Currie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Livingston.

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## FAR-REACHING AND SPEEDY MOSQUITOES BLAST AT BERLIN

LARGE FORMATIONS OF ALLIED PLANES SWARMED OVER CHANNEL THURSDAY

LONDON, May 20.—(P)—Far-reaching and speedy Mosquito bombers of the Royal Air Force carried the continuing allied air offensive to Berlin itself again last night, the British announced today.

The RAF raid on Berlin constituted the fourth attack on the capital of the Reich within a week and came only a few hours after American Flying Fortresses had smashed into Germany to blast submarine and shipbuilding yards at Kiel and Flensburg.

Results of the British overnight raid were not announced immediately, an air ministry communiqué saying merely that targets in Berlin were attacked. All the bombers returned.

Last night's attack on Berlin had the character of repayment in kind for the series of German air force attacks on the London area. It apparently was the same sort of raid—a swift brief stab by high flying fast planes.

Berlin has not had a cascade raid from heavy bombers since March 20.

Taking up where night raiders left off, large formations of allied planes swarmed over the channel by daylight today in the direction of northern France. They flew so high it was impossible to tell whether they were fighters or bombers.

German planes, meanwhile, approached a south coast town but were driven out by sea by aircraft barrage before they were able to drop their bombs.

In night operations extending along the coast of Europe from the Netherlands to Southern France, RAF Mosquito bombers attacked enemy air bases at Poir, Amiens-Gley and Crecy en Ponthieu and raided rail targets at Gamaches and Eu.

Speedy mosquitoes strafed a concentration of barges in the Ghent area and shot up a Tangerbrug factory, while Beaufighters set off a terrific explosion on five barges in the Lys River and shot up three trains near Poisy, Sens and Bonnières.

The American Flying Fortress units, recently reinforced, touched off destructive and fast-spreading flames at Kiel and Flensburg in one of the greatest fire-bombing operations carried out by the U. S. airmen.

May Be Final Punch Prelude.

LONDON, May 20.—(P)—Sober judgment in London held to the view today that enemy aerial stabs at this city the past four nights, although ineffectual in themselves, might be a prelude to Germany's final punch at Britain from the air.

Civil defense units accordingly have taken up the slack that has been allowed to develop since the Nazi raids of 1940 and 1941 were broken up by the RAF.

Air observers acknowledged that the German air force undoubtedly still has sufficient strength to cause plenty of damage here.

The quick, hit-and-run attacks beginning Sunday night were made by only a few planes, however.

Rear Admiral Foote Speak Port Arthur

HOUSTON, May 20.—(P)—Rear Admiral P. W. Foote, inspector of naval material for the Houston district, will be the principal speaker Saturday, May 22, in Port Arthur, at a meeting of the Propeller Club of Port Arthur, Beaumont, Orange and Lake Charles, the navy announced today.

Admiral Foote will be accompanied to Port Arthur by Lieut. Com. Commander W. G. Westphal, the mander James G. Clark and Lieut. three naval officers, while in Port Arthur, will inspect the Texas Steel Manufacturing Company there which is engaged in the production of naval ordnance.

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## Big Army Plane Strikes Chicago Gas Tank Today

CHICAGO, May 20.—(P)—A large army airplane rammed into a gas company storage tank on the South Side today and, according to reports received by the Englewood district fire alarm office, set the tank afire.

The plane, which was based at the Fort Worth, Texas, army air field, rammed the huge tank squarely and plunged to the ground in flames. The tank is one of the Peoples Gas & Light & Coke Company and serves Chicago's Southwest side.

Employees of the fire alarm office said two or three scorched bodies were reported lying near the wreckage and flames were shooting from the roof of the tank. The intense heat could be felt for a mile around and prevented firemen and rescuers from approaching.

Twelve Men Aboard.

FORT WORTH, May 20.—(P)—The Fort Worth army air field announced today that a target plane which crashed and burned at Chicago was a four-engine Liberator bomber based here.

The big plane took off from the Fort Worth field on a routine flight early Thursday morning with 12 men on board. Names of the crew will not be released until all 12 on board have been notified.

All 12 on board were reported lost.

## WYOMING POSSES UNSUCCESSFUL IN HUNT FOR FUGITIVE

GUERNSEY, Wyo., May 20.—(P)—Poses searched rocky South-eastern Wyoming country unsuccessfully last night for an armed fugitive who stole two automobiles and a horse in eluding arresting officers.

Undersheriff Floyd Turner at Douglas identified the man as Pete Board, alias Bill Carter, and said he was believed to be a Texas prison escapee.

Law enforcement officers of Platte, Goshute and Niobrara counties, and state highway patrolmen blocked roads in this sparsely settled section of Wyoming.

Turner reported that Converse county officers sought to arrest the man at a ranch near Douglas Monday, but that he escaped in a stolen car with a rifle and two pistols from the ranch, where he had been employed.

Some shots were exchanged between the fugitive and ranch employees when the man stole a horse south of Douglas and later when he stole a second automobile, Turner said. No one was injured.

Mrs. J. J. Astor III Sues for Divorce and Settlement Reached

RENO, Nev., May 20.—(P)—Mrs. John Jacob Astor III sued her wealthy New York socialite husband for divorce here today.

Astor's secretary, Charles Gilbert, recently disclosed that Astor and his wife agreed on a property settlement of \$1,000,000 with the proviso that Mrs. Astor relinquish all claims to any of Astor's other property.

Gilbert added that the two would share equally in custody of their 7-year-old son, Willie.

Mrs. Astor, the former Helen Tuck French, charged her husband with "extreme cruelty of a mental nature," records showed.

The Astors were married in Newport, R. I., June 30, 1934.

Increased Funds for Pink Bollworm Fight

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—An increase in funds for combating pink bollworm infestation in South Texas cotton fields was requested today by Representative Kleberg (D-Texas) during hearings by a senate appropriations subcommittee on the agriculture department supply bill.

As passed by the house the bill provided \$400,000. Acting as spokesman for the Texas congressional delegation, Kleberg urged the committee to approve budget bureau recommendations which would bring the appropriation up to \$637,000.

Kleberg declared the funds were needed to prevent spread of an insect that potentially was a far more serious menace to the cotton industry than the bollweevil.

## TWO SENTENCED TO TWENTY YEARS FOR ROBBERY OF BANK

LUBBOCK, May 20.—(P)—Flavio Godfrey Gilbert and Talbert J. Layman each were sentenced to 20 years in federal prison today for the robbery of the First National Bank of Hale Center Nov. 27.

Gilbert pleaded innocent and said he was not at Hale Center when the crime was committed. Layman pleaded guilty but said Gilbert did not participate in the robbery.

The jury was out only five minutes and Judge T. Whitfield Davidson passed sentence immediately.

Testimony in Gilbert's trial was finished yesterday and arguments were concluded shortly before 11 o'clock this morning.

Gilbert testified yesterday that about the time of the robbery he was traveling back and forth between El Paso and Tucson, Ariz., after having just quit a job at Miami, Ariz.

Talbert Layman, 35, who has pleaded guilty to the Hale Center robbery, testified that Gilbert was not one of the trio who forced bank officials at gunpoint to turn over \$9,432. Layman declared he last saw Gilbert after the two men were released Sept. 22, 1942, from the New Mexico state prison.

Gilbert said that an automobile for which he paid cash in Pensacola, Fla., shortly after the robbery was bought with money he won in numbers games.

Gilbert and Layman were identified in court by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellis as the men who trusted them up and took their car shortly before the robbery.

## ICKES CERTIFIES 18,500-BARREL DROP IN OIL PRODUCTION

WASHINGTON, May 20.—(P)—Secretary Ickes certified today oil-producing states today a daily June production rate of 4,218,000 barrels of all petroleum liquids, a daily decrease of 18,500 barrels from the May rate.

Production rates certified to the Eastern and Midwest producing states were generally reduced due to the declining productive capacities of the fields in those areas. Production rates for the Rocky Mountain and California producing areas remain about the same as for May while the daily rate for district three was increased 11,300 barrels.

Certified production rates (barrels per day) for June, compared with May:

District Three—Arkansas, 7,800 and 73,000; Louisiana, 330,800 and 350,300; Mississippi, 50,000, unchanged; New Mexico, 105,700, unchanged; Texas, 1,602,000 and 1,562,000.

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## WOMAN ALLEGEDLY SHOT YOUTH WHEN HE CALLED HER NAME

By WALTER MASON  
ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 20.—(P)—A pretty Bay Ridge matron told a jury that Helen Alleen Randle fatally shot a 17-year-old high school boy and wounded her husband last Jan. 30 after the youth called Mrs. Randle a prostitute and asked the husband if he should "get those pictures and show them to her?"

The direct testimony of plumpish Mrs. Leonard R. Stinchcomb, Jr., chief witness against the third wife of wealthy Maryland-Virginia horseman at her trial for murder, failed to bring out any further references to the pictures.

Mrs. Randle, 31, an attractive brunette, went on trial yesterday on a charge of killing young Allen Willey during the height of a domestic quarrel at the Randle's Bay Ridge home.

Mrs. Stinchcomb related that the quarrel between Uilmo S. Randle, 34, and his wife, started about 9 a. m. and continued at intervals until about 3 p. m.

Randle called his wife a prostitute, the matron related. Willey seconded the reference, and then said, "Mr. Randle, shall I get those pictures and show them to her?"

Mrs. Randle then left the room, and was gone for about five minutes, Mrs. Stinchcomb added, con-

## Body Unidentified Man Found Trinity River at Dallas

DALLAS, May 20.—(P)—The body of an unidentified man, about 45, was found in the Trinity river here today. The man had been shot through the head and his body weighted with a heavy iron pipe wired to his neck.

A blood-stained policy ticket dated May 19 was found on the bank nearby. The body was clad only in underwear, which had become weighted with river silt. Inspector of Detectives Will Fritz said the discovery of a pistol on the body inclined him to believe the man was a victim of murder rather than suicide.

"I saw Mrs. Randle come into the room, holding a rifle in front of her," x x x She said: "Allen, you said something to me I wouldn't stand for from my husband, much less from a newsboy." x x x I heard a shot. x x x I was paralyzed. x x x Mrs. Randle said: "U. S. this is for you, you s. . . ."

"I heard the gun again. x x x I saw Allen on the floor on his knees, holding his stomach and crying with pain. x x x U. S. Randle sat on the floor near the piano holding his leg. He said: 'My God, Alleen, look what you've done to that boy.'"

Mrs. Stinchcomb's story of the shooting came after lengthy, tedious questioning by State's Attorney Marvin Anderson.

## STATE'S GENERAL FUND DEFICIT NOW AT LOWEST POINT

AUSTIN, May 20.—(P)—The state's general fund deficit reached its lowest point in five years today at \$20,731,002, a reduction of \$8,507,483 from a year ago.

State Treasurer Jesse James attributed the sharp drop to "good business and good tax payments." Prospects for further reductions were bright, he said, based on state tax collections which will begin in October, and continued brisk business which yields gross receipts and occupational taxes for the state.

Further, the state will make the final payment from the general fund next October on relief bonds and a bill passed at the last general session of the legislature will transfer in September an estimated unexpended \$1,500,000 from various funds to the general fund.

Wheat, Oats and Rye Making Fair Progress

CHICAGO, May 20.—(P)—Wheat, oats and rye are making fairly good progress in most sections of the producing belt, the weather bureau summary of crop conditions said today, but corn planting is considerably behind schedule because of wet weather.

The bureau gave the following summary of conditions in major producing states:

Texas—condition of winter wheat is fairly good, but more rain is needed urgently. Oats and barley are in only fair condition. Corn made good progress and condition is fairly good.

## Negro Shoots Self To Avoid Arrest

NASHVILLE, May 20.—(P)—A negro who police said they believed was George (Slim) Johnson, a Tulsa, Okla., cafe operator sought in connection with the rape-killing of Mrs. Norma Faye Scogin, shot and wounded himself at the bus station here today when officers sought to arrest him.

Police said that the negro shot himself with his own pistol as officers approached him. How seriously he was wounded was not immediately determined.

Patrolman Harold D. Stringfellow and C. P. Lynch first sought to question the negro who was sitting on a curb near the bus station. Officers to whom they reported at headquarters said that the negro drew his pistol. Ordered to lift his weapon down, police said, he put it to his forehead and fired. He was taken to General hospital for treatment of the head wound, which appeared superficial.

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NEW YORK, May 20.—(P)—The Tokyo radio has admitted heavy Japanese casualties in the fighting for Attu Island at the western tip of the Aleutians and has acknowledged that American troops are making steady progress, the OWI reported today.

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